



KLAUS1.002C1

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant	:	Brem, Gottfried
Appl. No.	:	10/643,380
Filed	:	August 19, 2003
For	:	DEVICE FOR MARKING LIVESTOCK AND SIMULTANEOUSLY TAKING TISSUE SAMPLES
Examiner	:	Sam, Charles H.
Group Art Unit	:	3731

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

**Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed April 5, 2006, Applicant responds as follows

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper. A "Replacement Sheet" for each sheet of drawings being amended can be found in the Appendix.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.